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## Worksheet 3: **Reading Comprehension**

Read the article "The 1936 'Nazi Olympics'" on pages 10-11. For each question below circle the correct answer.

1. Why were the 1936 Olympics called the "Nazi Olympics?"
  - A. They took place in Nazi where they had begun many years before.
  - B. Adolph Hitler used the Olympics to show the world how great and powerful he thought his Nazi Party was.
  - C. There was World War during the Olympics in 1936.
  - D. None of the above
2. Why was Esther Myers careful about what she wrote to send to her hometown newspaper?
  - A. All mail was being read.
  - B. She didn't want her boyfriend to know where she was.
  - C. Esther Myers didn't know how to write in German.
  - D. All of the above
3. Adolph Hitler made Germany into what he wanted it to be and punished those who did not agree with him. This is called:
  - A. a dictatorship
  - B. a great deal
  - C. a dream
  - D. None of the above
4. Why is Esther Myers' diary considered a primary source of the 1936 Olympics?
  - A. She was a really good newspaper reporter.
  - B. She traveled to Germany on a ship called The Primary Source.
  - C. She was at the Olympics and wrote about them during that time.
  - D. All of the above
5. Esther Myers' diary says that they watched the final parade with tears streaming down their faces. Why do you think they had tears?
  - A. Their trip was coming to an end.
  - B. They felt overwhelmed by the mixture of danger and excitement.
  - C. They knew people were worried about war.
  - D. All of the above